

Presentations with Attitude Writing Rubric

	5	4	3	2	0
Writing X 2					Did not complete assignment
Thesis Statement: States a clear position or perspective in support of a proposition or proposal	Thesis statement clearly states opinion about the topic.	Thesis statement give opinion about the topic.	Thesis statement is unfocused and does not give a clear opinion	Thesis statement is missing.	
Reasons: Describes the points in support of the proposition	G.O. includes several reasons in support of thesis statement. Reasons are clear and relevant to the topic.	G.O. includes some reasons in support of thesis statement. Reasons are clear and relevant to the topic.	G.O. includes reasons in support of thesis statement. Reasons are unclear or irrelevant to the topic.	G.O. includes few/no reasons in support of thesis statement. Reasons are unclear or irrelevant to the topic.	
Evidence & Examples: employing well-articulated, relevant evidence	G.O. includes clear, relevant evidence from the text in support of each reason.	G.O. includes clear, relevant evidence from the text in support of most reasons.	G.O. includes evidence from the text in support of most reasons.	G.O. includes no evidence from the text to support reasons.	
Opposition: Anticipates and addresses readers' concerns and counter-arguments.	G.O. anticipates at least one opposition argument. G.O. refutes at least one opposition argument using evidence from the text.	G.O. anticipates at least one opposition argument. G.O. refutes at least one opposition argument.	G.O. anticipates at least one opposition argument. G.O. does not refute opposition argument.	G.O. does not anticipate or refute opposition arguments.	